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The Honorable Wayne D. Brazil
United States Magistrate Judge
1301 Clay Street
Courtroom 4
Oakland, CA 94612

Re: United States v. Chad Holste
CR-4 08 70022 WDB

Dear Magistrate Judge Brazil:

The parties are discussing the terms under which Mr. Holste may be released on bond, and ask that this matter be added to the Court's calendar for Tuesday, January 22, 2008 at 10:00 a.m. The defense is proposing that Mr. Holste be released to his parents' home in Redding, California. The government will ask that property be posted, and is still reviewing the defense's proffer of release terms.

Mr. Holste's parents will attend the hearing on Tuesday. On the assumption that the parties will have details finalized by then, please have the Marshals "roll up" Mr. Holste for his appearance.

Please feel free to contact me if the Court desires any further information.

Respectfully submitted,

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